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Honorable Edgardo Ramos United States District Judge Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall US Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY

MEMO ENDORSED

VIA ECF

Re: United States vs. Michols Pena 20-CR-600 (ER)

Dear Judge Ramos:

As the court is aware, I represent the above-referenced defendant. Mr. Pena is scheduled to be sentenced on June 28, 2023. Please be advised that I have been notified by Mr. Pena that he no longer wishes for me to represent him. My understanding is that he will be hiring new counsel. Accordingly, please adjourn this sentencing for 30 days in order to allow Mr. Pena to obtain new counsel.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions please feel free to contact my office.

Yours Truly,

s/Barry Goldberg

Barry Goldberg, Esq.

A conference will be held on June 28, 2023 at 10 a.m. A new sentencing date will be set at that time.

SO ORDERED.

Edgardo Ramos, U.S.D.J.

Dated: <u>6/26/2023</u> New York, New York